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AGENDA HAWAI'I ISLAND BURIAL COUNCIL MEETING

DATE: THURSDAY, JULY 20, 2006

TIME: 9:00 AM

PLACE: PU'UANAHULU COMMUNITY CENTER

> 71-1490 MAMALAHOA HIGHWAY KAILUA-KONA, HAWAI'I 96740

I. OPENING REMARKS

Call to order. Introduction of Hawai'i Island Burial Council members, Historic Preservation Division staff and the Deputy Attorney General.

II. APPROVAL OF THE JUNE 15, 2006 HIBC MEETING MINUTES

III. BUSINESS

A. PU'ULANI RANCH DEVELOPMENT

PU'UANAHULU AHUPUA'A, NORTH KONA DISTRICT, HAWAI'I ISLAND TMK (3) 7-1-005: MULTIPLE AND 7-1-006: MULTIPLE

Information/Recommendation: Discussion of the history of the Pu'ulani Ranch Development. Discussion of the identification of burial and cultural sites by the families of Pu'uanahulu. Discussion of archaeological reports related to the Pu'ulani Ranch development. recommendations to the Department and the County of Hawai'i on actions that should be taken to identify and protect burial sites within the Pu'ulani Ranch development.

B. FINAL PRESERVATION PLAN FOR BURIAL SITES WITHIN THE KALOKO **HEIGHTS PROJECT**

KALOKO AND KOHANAIKI AHUPUA'A, NORTH KONA DISTRICT, HAWAI'I ISLAND TMK (3) 7-3-009:032

Information/Recommendation: Discussion of the status of a final preservation plan for burials within the project area. Discussion of HIBC recommendations made at the March, April, May and June 2006 HIBC meetings relative to the identification and protection of Native Hawaiian burials within the project area. HIBC recommendations to the Department relative to the identification and protection of Native Hawaiian burials within the project area.

C. SIHP SITE 50-10-45-24851

KEA'AU AHUPUA'A, PUNA DISTRICT, HAWAI'I ISLAND

TMK (3) 1-6-091:054, (3) 1-6-091: multiple and (3) 1-6-090:multiple

Information/Recommendation/Determination: Discussion of the history of this site which is a lava tube where Native Hawaiian skeletal remains were inadvertently discovered. Discussion of the classification of the site as an inadvertent discovery. HIBC recommendations to the Department on appropriate measures that should be taken to ensure this site is protected.

D. BURIAL TREATMENT PLAN FOR FEATURE E OF SIHP SITE 1915 O'OMA 2ND AHUPUA'A, NORTH KONA DISTRICT, HAWAI'I ISLAND TMK (3) 7-3-009:023

Information/Determination/Recommendation: Department recommendation to the HIBC whether to recognize any applicants as lineal and/or cultural descendants to the burial on the subject TMK parcel. HIBC determination whether to recognize any applicants as lineal and/or cultural descendants to the burial on the subject TMK parcel. Presentation of the proposed burial treatment plan by Rechtman Consulting, LLC. HIBC determination to preserve in place or relocate the burial within feature E of Site 1915. HIBC recommendations to the Department on short and long term protective measures for the site.

E. UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA NAGPRA REPATRIATION

Information/Recommendation/Determination: Update on the status of the return of an iwi po'o from the University of Pennsylvania for temporary curation at Pu'uhonua o Honaunau National Park. Discussion of the history of the iwi po'o as detailed in an April 21, 2006 letter from the University of Pennsylvania. HIBC determination whether to be a NAGPRA claimant to the iwi po'o and how to transmit the determination to the proper entity.

IV. CASE UPDATES

A. HOKUKANO AND KAALAIKI AHUPUA'A KA'U DISTRICT, HAWAI'I ISLAND TMK (3) 9-5-016:036

Information/Recommendation: Discussion of community concerns regarding burial sites on the TMK parcel and possible impacts to the burial sites by the construction of a home on the property. Discussion of the history of the property and archaeological reports related to the property and area. HIBC recommendations to the Department on how to proceed with the identification of and protection for any burial sites on the property.

B. KANUPA CAVE, KALALA AHUPUA'A, KOHALA DISTRICT, HAWAI'I ISLAND

Information/Recommendation: Discussion of a motion passed at the April 20, 2006 HIBC meeting authorizing the HIBC Chair to sign a letter with other NAGPRA claimants recommending that the State of Hawai'i conduct an investigation into the theft of items from Kanupa Cave. Discussion of the history and recent events relative to Kanupa Cave.

V. INADVERTENT DISCOVERIES

Information/Recommendation: Informational presentation by SHPD staff on inadvertent discoveries of skeletal remains reported to the Department in the month of June 2006 on the following properties.

- A. TMK (3) 1-7-024:065 and 1-7-024:28 Ola'a, Puna District, Hawai'i Island
- B. TMK (3) 6-5-004:071 Waimea, Kohala District, Hawai'i Island

VI. ANNOUNCEMENTS

VII. ADJOURNMENT

Pursuant to §92-3, HRS, all interested persons shall be afforded an opportunity to present oral testimony or submit data, views or arguments in writing on any agenda item. A request to be placed on a Burial Council agenda must be made with Burial Sites Program staff at least two weeks preceding the scheduled meeting date. In addition, the request must be accompanied by all related documentation. Failure to comply with this procedure will delay your item to the following month's agenda.

Additionally, pursuant to a policy adopted by the Hawai'i Island Burial Council at its November 17, 2005 meeting, oral testimony for items listed on the agenda is limited to three minutes for each agenda item, which is subject to extension by the Chair.

Materials related to items on the agenda are available for review at the State Historic Preservation Division at 555 Kakuhihewa Building, 601 Kamokila Boulevard, Kapolei, Hawai'i 96707 and will also be available at the meeting. Disabled persons requiring special assistance should contact our office in advance at (808) 692-8015.